

WILL THE STREET LIGHTS GO OUT ON APRIL 1ST?

Unless Something Unexpected
Happens Town Streets May
Be Dark Soon

Unless something unexpected happens to occasion a change of front on the part of either the town council or the liquidators of the Alberta Electric Co., between now and Saturday night, there will be no street lights on and after April 1st.

A challenge was issued to the liquidators of the company by the town council at its regular meeting on Monday, Feb. 21, to discontinue electric current for street lights on account of their refusing to maintain the fixtures and poles, etc., and the challenge was immediately and without delay accepted. Consequently out go the street lights on and after Saturday night.

For some time past, or since the Trusts & Guarantee Co. were appointed liquidators for the company, there had been considerable discussion at the council meetings as to who should be responsible for the maintenance of these lights, the council maintaining that it was not up to them, and the company refusing to accept the responsibility. This occasioned a deadlock since neither side would give in.

It appears that when the plant was installed the Alberta Electric Co. accepted this responsibility without question, although no contract of a binding nature seemed to exist to compel them to do so, and right up to the time that the liquidators of the company took over the plant the company did everything that was necessary to keep the street lights in fit condition. But now a change has come about.

This will mean a considerable reduction in the revenue of the lighting plant as the town paid annually \$60 per light for 18 lights when they were going, but when not burning a pro rata reduction was made for each light. The income to the company for the street lights amounted to between \$800 and \$1,000 per year.

This serious reduction in the revenue of the company may have considerable effect on the remainder of the system, and may eventually mean its discontinuance altogether.

THE NEWLY-WEBS

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Preston of Latham, (newly-webs) were the hosts at a pleasant little impromptu surprise party pulled off at their home on Sunday night last when their many friends gathered around the house to wish them many happy returns.

Although few particulars are at hand it is learned that the newly-married couple had been well treated in the matter of entertaining and that the bees were treated right royally.

TO GRADE WOOL

Over a million pounds of Southern Alberta wool will be graded by Dominion Government inspectors this year as a result of action taken by the Southern Alberta Sheep Growers' Association. The Association will ask the Government to grade the wool according to a recent offer of the Department of Agriculture and the owners of 100,000 head of sheep have signed the grading agreement. The growers also decided to form a trading association for the purpose of marketing their wool.

"THE EARS" OF THE FRENCH ARMY



Photo shows the newest of defenses against attacks from the air. This instrument indicates the slightest sound of an approaching Zeppelin or aeroplane, even at a distance of many miles away.

SALE OF BULLS

Indications point to a most successful auction sale of bulls to be held at Calgary on the 11th and 12th of April. The bulls will be judged on Monday, the 10th of April.

There are 329 bulls entered for sale, and the following list shows the number of bulls which are eligible to be shown in the several classes:

Years	Number
3 years and over.....	5
20 months and under 3 years.....	3
2 years and under 20 months.....	15
18 months and under 2 years.....	53
Under 18 months.....	12

Years	Number
3 years and over.....	58
30 months and under 3 years.....	9
2 years and under 30 months.....	18
18 months and under 2 years.....	78
Under 18 months.....	41

Years	Number
3 years and over.....	6
2 years.....	7
18 months and under 2 years.....	7
Under 18 months.....	8

Galloways 2, and one not placed, making a total of 329.

W. T. McDonald, Live Stock Commissioner, Victoria, B. C. will place the awards, and R. W. Tinsley of Lacombe will again act as auctioneer. The bulls will all be stabled in the horse show building where the sale will be held, and the secretary's office has the problem of balancing up the accounts after the sale on Wednesday night, making out the necessary shipping lists, and having the animals all loaded and away to all parts of Alberta as well as to a number of B. C. and Saskatchewan points; and to clear out all the stalls necessary to stable the bulls and get the same building ready for the Spring Horse show to commence at 2 o'clock on Thursday, the 13th of April. The horse show will be continued for the afternoons and evenings of the 14th and 15th.

The new basis of payment of prices will be inaugurated for the first time at the spring horse show.

ALBERTA COAL MINES

Alberta is one of the richest countries in the world in the matter of coal resources, and the mining industry is one of considerable importance. A government report just issued shows that in the year 1915 no less than 58 new coal mines were opened in the province, and a total of 280 mines were operated. The coal production for the year amounted to 3,434,000 tons. Many of the mines are very small, and are operated by the district, whose purpose it is simply to get enough coal for their own use. In addition to its coal resources Alberta is also a large source of timber, and the lumber industry is also very important.

NO EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT THIS CHARGE

Case Against Cline is Diminished
With Morden and Flanagan
Presiding

J. Cline appeared before Magistrates Morden and Flanagan yesterday afternoon on a charge of keeping a disorderly house, and after the evidence of several witnesses was heard the case was dismissed.

The information was laid by J. R. Weaver whom it appears had been in a game of poker in the room in question. Mr. Weaver declared that he had gone up to a certain room in town of his own free will and had "sat in" in a game of draw poker for an hour or so, and while there he had seen Cline take a "knock-out" of two-bit chips from several pots. It was not the first game he had been in, and it appeared to be no different from any other game he had ever "sat in." He admitted that he had been drinking that day, but he knew everything that went on. He believed the game was played fair and square.

Cline who acted in his own defence, cross-questioned the witness who agreed that he could have bought chips from any person playing in the game, and that he could not be certain as to whether the two-bit taken out of certain pots were stolen from the pot or taken for some reason other than as a raffle.

Chas. Clark and John Gidd were examined as witnesses for the prosecution and they both declared that it was merely a little game played by mutual consent, and run by no person in particular, and that there was no risk of any description as far as they had observed.

The presiding magistrate observed after the evidence was all in, that there had been no evidence to prove the charge, and in this he was supported by Magistrate Flanagan. The case was consequently dismissed.

A similar charge was laid against R. H. Hunter, but was subsequently withdrawn.

BROOKS MOVES UP

Brooks, the London city, moved up to Bassano in a six-seated 1914 Packard car on Sunday night last for supper at the Hunter hotel.

Among those present were P. Wilkinson and K. Brown owners of the Brown & Wilkinson ranch, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Kuhl of the Hotel Newell, and Mrs. A. Nelson, wife of Railroad Contractor A. Nelson.

Editor Nesbitt was left at home to wash the dishes, and a pleasant time was had.

"THE CASE OF BECKY"

The Gam theatre for the week end, Friday and Saturday, offers Blanche Sweet in the David Belasco play "The Case of Becky."

Blanche Sweet in the stellar role is one of the greatest dramatic successes ever produced by David Belasco, by whose consent the production was made. Throughout the play is a theme of mysticism, subjects that are handled with all of the skill and discretion of the Lasky producing force.

A splendid illustrated temperance lecture was given in the Presbyterian church on Sunday night by W. F. Gold, secretary of the Temperance Moral Reform League. Subscription cards were distributed in delay the ladies' leagues of the League during the recent temperance campaign.

VETERAN HONORED

William Jay who recently returned from the trenches, was the guest of honor at a banquet on Monday night at the Hunter hotel, when about forty or fifty of his old friends and acquaintances gathered around the festive board and enjoyed themselves in feasting, speeches and song.

The evening was lively throughout and patriotism was expressed in every action at the affair. The toast list which included those usually proposed at such events, were responded to by John S. Mavor, R. McLean, Lorne Webster and Dr. Scott. Bennie Gray also made a few remarks.

The toast proposed to the guest of the evening was responded to by Wm. Jay in a neat little speech, and while he confessed that he was not much of a speaker, the audience forgave him with the remark, "Never mind Bill you can fight anyway."

Patriotic and other songs were rendered by O. Daehler, Dick Bond, Jas. Johnston, R. A. Travis and Mr. Fletcher, a traveller who dropped in for a little social time.

Mavor W. Flanagan presided as toast master.

WRITES FROM ENGLAND

The editor has received an interesting letter from Stanley Cree who last summer acted as chauffeur for the C.P.R. at the dam. Mr. Cree who is now with the 60th Siege Battery, R.G.A. in Taunton, Eng., wishes to inform his friends that he is not yet made into German sausage, although he is expected to leave shortly for the front.

He thinks a lot of the country over there, and in loud in his praises of the treatment accorded the Canadians both in England and France. He says:

"One thing that greatly impresses me in this country is the way the ladies are working for the soldiers. There are good cooks everywhere and in all the towns we stopped at they wanted to give us tea and coffee, sandwiches and cake, and besides this they are making caps, socks and shirts to be distributed free to soldiers. In France everyone is doing something, rich and poor alike.

"We shall be proceeding to the front very shortly I think as this is the last stopping place for the artillery. However we are all ready to move, but it will be one month or so before the 60th Battery go.

"Please give my best regards to all my friends in Bassano. Charlie Chalmers of birthday fame on your first night to Brooks sends his best regards and says he would like to have a copy of your famous Bassano Mail."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of THOMAS SCOTT, o.

Majorville, Alberta, Farmer, deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the said THOMAS SCOTT, who died on 18th of November, 1915, are required to file with ELIZABETH ANNA SCOTT, Executrix of this will, at Majorville, Alberta, by the 8th day of April, 1916, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims, and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the executrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to her notice.

Dated this 8th day of March, 1916.

BESSA S. MAVON,
Solicitors for the Executrix
Bassano, Alberta

SOW FLAX IF LATE SEEDING IS NECESSARY

As Profitable a Crop as Wheat
And as Much in Demand

As a crop likely to be quite as profitable as wheat this year may be mentioned flax. The annual consumption of flaxseed is in the neighborhood of 30,000,000 bushels on this continent. All but about 2,000,000 bushels of this is used in the United States. The consumption of seed in Canada and the United States totals all 12,000,000 or 15,000,000 bushels short of this amount. This extra is normally brought from Argentina, and is coming in at the present time.

Where wheat seeding has progressed rather slowly it will often be advisable to sow the few acres intended for flax rather than flax. The cash returns for the two crops per acre this year are likely to be practically equal, and about the same as they were last year, so why not try the flax and run no chance with wheat, usually a poor crop at best.

Only clean seed should be sown, and that on clean land. A limited area of well-prepared land sown with clean seed will be more profitable than a large area of badly prepared land on which dirty seed is used.

Well-prepared land means (a) a good sowing, (b) first year stubble after summer fallow properly burned, well cultivated, sown and then harrowed, (c) other stubble land harrowed if possible, well ploughed, then harrowed and seeded, and then backed again or rolled and harrowed.

For the new settler or the man with new breaking done before May 25 or 26, flax offers an opportunity for money-making this year on this land such as is not possible with any other crop. Break about three inches deep, dig as soon as broken, and so fill all openings or cracks between the furrows, and conserve moisture as well as possible. Sow seed about the 1st of June at the rate of 30 to 40 lbs. per acre.

COLORADO COLONY

Mrs. R. F. Nelson and children were visiting in B. C. on Tuesday last. Mrs. Nelson says "After all there's no place like home."

A very enjoyable time was spent at W. S. Pollock's barn on Tuesday evening when Chas. E. Cleveland gave his wedding dance. Dancing was indulged in until three o'clock in the morning. The dancing was around cake and coffee about 12 p. m. followed by cigars and candy. Everyone joins in wishing the happy couple a long and successful life.

W. Conner has brought from Greely, Colo., a new kind of musical instrument equipped with long ears. Maybe the orchestra will be glad of an addition to its membership.

Mr. Ambush and family have moved to their new home recently built on the east side of the Colony.

A good many of the farmers here have started Spring work, some are harrowing and others plowing and disking.

Several flocks of geese have been seen in this locality going north. This should be a sure sign of Spring.

There will be no pollock on Friday night at W. S. Pollock's. Everybody come and have good time. Do sure and bring some one.

Our new store keeper, Mr. Elliot, has located on the farm recently vacated by Mr. Ambush. He will erect a store building 200 ft. by 100 ft. and will stock everything needed in the country. Don't knock but boast for this it is not the worst place north.

Lost within the radius of the Colony the Bassano Colony Extension of Settlement Club. Anyone finding same will please notify G. F. Ryder, Sec., and receive reward.

Canadian air seems to be a little too strong for U. S. citizens. Who will be the next to have to get 'em up? Oh yes, that!

C. McKinnon visited the Colony on Saturday for the purpose of visiting here he had sold to different people here.

FOR EXCHANGE

Lads' living \$3,500 equity in modern ten roomed house. Calgary, would exchange same for town house, or quarter section close to railway. Owner, 2115, 16th St. W., Calgary.

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P. W. STONE, Editor

Should the street lights be taken off on Saturday night and continue dark, Bassano will be a very dismal and forlorn town in the evenings, and this condition will probably make police protection a little more difficult. Then it will up to the citizens and visitors to be loyal to the town, to indulge in no unnecessary criticism and do everything in their power to assist in keeping and maintaining order.

The taking off of the lights may make it a little inconvenient, but The Mail believes that the town council acted in the best interests of the citizens when they refused to accept current from the company unless all the conditions of the contract (as they understood them) were lived up to. If the maintenance of the globes, etc. were a part of the contract, then the company should submit to take this share of the responsibility, and if the company cannot see its way clear to do this, then some attempt should be made by them to arrive at some satisfactory agreement with the town.

As it is the company will be seriously handicapped by the cutting off of this big slice of revenue, and unless some satisfactory arrangement can be made, it is quite apparent that sooner or later the company will seriously consider some form of agreement to present to the council, and things will go on as before.

On Monday evening at the Presbyterian church tennis enthusiasts will meet to discuss the formation of a tennis club for the summer. This healthful form of outdoor amusement should be heartily supported and encouraged, and it is hoped that the club will soon be under way.

Rev. W. S. Brookes pastor of the church is the prime mover in this matter, and The Mail must hand it to him as an energetic worker for his church. Physical, mental and religious exercise go hand in hand, and since Mr. Brookes has been here he has used every effort to keep the young people of the town interested in many ways.

During the winter season there have been a boys' club, a men's club, a Shakespeare club and other organizations formed under his guidance, and while some of these have not been attended as well as they should have been, yet they have been

made available through the efforts of Mr. Brookes.

No doubt this recent effort of his will largely be connected with the church, but still we take it that the membership need not necessarily consist wholly of church members.

Mr. Brookes is a useful man in town, and he should be heartily supported in every way by the residents of Bassano.

Wm. Jay, who on Monday night was the guest of honor at a banquet at the Hunter hotel, has done his "bit," and it was meet and fitting that on his return some little honor should be done him. The fighting 10th have seen a lot of war; they have been through some of the fiercest of the fighting and their lives have been staked for the honor of the Empire.

Fortunate indeed are those of the first contingent who can come back to tell the tale. Many of them today are covered over on the battle-scarred plains of Flanders, and while we rejoice and do honor to the returned veterans it would be well to mix a tear or two with our smiles in sympathy with the unreturned heroes.

A business man of this town took exception to one statement contained in our editorial last week regarding dress suits. The statement was to the effect that if dress suits were worn at these dances they would soon develop into dress and social affairs attended by only a few business men. His contention was that no business man in town would be so foolish or unpatriotic as to wear a dress suit and shut out a man in overalls or any other kind of dress from attending these patriotic affairs.

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Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

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For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. COOY, Deputy Minister of the Interior.
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No. 11.55 o'clock.

No. 313.33 o'clock.

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No. 24.57 o'clock.

No. 416.25 o'clock.

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Wednesdays and Saturdays. Leaves at 4.30 and returns at 17.00.

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For Hutton, Favor, Rose Lynn, Sunny Nook and Southampton. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 8:00 a. m.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Harry Wambegans has returned to Bassano from Dayton Oregon, and will take up farming and sheep raising at Latham.

Catholic services will be held in Padden's hall on Sunday, April 9.

The McCordinals Bros. are shipping part of their outfit of horses to Stettler where they are going into the farming business.

Mrs. Rae L. King and child visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wright.

Raymond Stewart passed through town on Saturday on his way to the front with the 8th Field Ambulance corps.

Mrs. Russell Brown, her maid and child returned home on Monday from Toronto where they have been spending the winter.

On Sunday night the second of the patriotic addresses will be given by Rev. W. S. Brooks in the Presbyterian church. Subject "Some Lessons of the War."

Through the instrumentality of John S. Mavor, Geo. H. Cloaker, ranch inspector, was in town to take a run over the Burns lease to inspect and report on its suitability for farming purposes.

All who are interested in the formation of a tennis club are invited to attend a meeting to be held in the Presbyterian church Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Clara Langer who have spent the winter months around San Diego, Cal., have arrived in town. They are wish G. Galarneau before going on to their farm across the Red Deer.

A roll of honor was unveiled Tuesday night at the Masonic hall. The roll of honor is beautifully framed and contains the names of Masons who have left Bassano Lodge to fight for king and country.

The Ne Plus Ultra Club have donated \$25 to the Patriotic Fund, the receipts from the recent Lent Year dances. The sum of \$9 was also donated at the receipts of a card party. This little club is doing noble and unselfish work for this good cause and every effort should be put forth by the public to support them in their undertakings.

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Wm. Lyster, editor of the Strathmore Standard, was in town on Saturday last on his way home from looking over the town of Jenner with a view to establishing a paper there. His conclusion was that it would not be a good business proposition just yet.

WANTED

Would like to hear from a responsible party making a proposition to plough 40 acres or more on west quarter section 22 - 23 - 19 west the 4th mer., and take share of crops in payment for plowing. Address, Bert Cook Box 331 Chinook, Mont.

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FOR SALE

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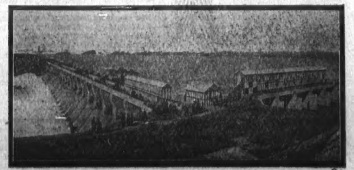
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